IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Waltherus W. Van Den Hoogenhof

Application No. 10/658,249

Filed: September 8, 2003

For: SAMPLE CONTAINER, MEASURING

DEVICE AND METHOD FOR X-RAY

ANALYSIS OF LIQUIDS

Examiner: Paul Sang Hwa Hyun

Art Unit: 1743

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2006, please amend and the above-captioned application as set for below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.